

HEARST COMES BACK ON GAYNOR

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CALLS MAYOR A QUIBBLER

Says He and His Partner, Hyde, Con-
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Hyde of Law and Politics.

New York, April 29.—Mayor Gaynor and William R. Hearst both made statements tonight on the issue of veracity made at the banquet of the Associated Press and the Newspaper Publishers' association last night, when the mayor said Mr. Hearst was a forger and a falsifier.

Supplementary statements were issued by Comptroller Prendergast, former Comptroller Metz and the district attorney's office, following rumors that there was a possibility of future legal proceedings as a result of the mayor's address last night.

HEARST'S STATEMENT.

Mr. Hearst's statement follows: "I am not entirely familiar with all the accusations against Mayor Gaynor or his attempt to divert attention from them by an attack on the American. I have just returned from Mexico."

"It is obvious to any one, however, that the mayor's defense is false upon its face."

"His attack upon the American is entirely disingenuous and wholly untruthful."

"His only claim, when it is analyzed, is that the American failed to print clearly the date on the photographic facsimile of one of the documents in the case against him, although the American carried the same date of the same document clearly printed in type in the text of the article."

"What a petty quibble for an important man, or rather what a quibble for a petty man, who holds an important position. Anybody who knows the high character of the gentlemen who edit the American knows that no matter how much they might despise Mayor Gaynor they would never seek to take an unfair advantage of him."

"Anybody who knows the ability of the gentlemen who edit the American knows if they had desired to omit the date of any document they would not have been so childish as to print the date conspicuously in the type while they were leaving it out of the picture."

"Finally, anybody who can read and think can see clearly that the date in question is not the important date anyhow, but that the important date

is the date of Jan. 4, a date in Mayor Gaynor's administration upon which the payment to Cobahlan of \$48,000 was finally signed and actually authorized. The Jan. 4 signature was affixed by the assistant chamberlain in the office of Chamberlain Hyde, Mr. Gaynor's law partner."

"GAYNOR'S THICK-HYDE"

"This latter gentleman, who is popularly known as 'Gaynor's thick-hyde,' is not only Gaynor's law partner, but the person who figured conspicuously in Gaynor's golf ball decision in favor of race track gambling."

"The two constitute the Dr. Jekyll and Mr. Hyde of law and politics."

"Mr. Chamberlain Hyde claims his assistant chamberlain is a 'hold-over from the last administration.'"

"But assuredly he is a very permanent holdover, for he is still assistant chamberlain, although the last administration has been out of office for months."

"Mr. Hyde might go so far as to explain why this same assistant chamberlain was not allowed to sign the Cobahlan warrant under the last administration and why he was allowed to sign the warrant under the present administration."

"Why do not Mr. Gaynor and his 'thick-hyde' discuss the date of Jan. 4, about which there is no question of bad printing, about which there is merely a question of bad administration?"

"Why do Mr. Gaynor and Mr. Hyde so earnestly seek to avoid the real question at issue and to devote themselves to the technicalities of newspaper printing?"

"Mr. Prendergast says the American does not print clearly."

"I say that Mr. Gaynor does not answer clearly."

"And the really important thing for Mr. Gaynor, mayor of New York, guardian of the people's property, is to answer clearly and quickly."

"Say your law partner paid the warrant, if you please, Mr. Gaynor; say your law partner's assistant paid it, if you please; but at least explain why a warrant which the former administration held up as an exhibit was paid by your administration without question and without investigation."

"ANSWER, MR. GAYNOR."

"Answer, Mr. Gaynor, as a matter of duty, as a matter of decency, and as a matter of public policy."

"Was not Cobahlan the intermediary between you and Charles Murphy, and was he not largely instrumental in getting you the Tammany Hall administration?"

"Was not Cobahlan concerned in the attempt to steal for you the nomination of the Independence league, which piece of political porch-climbing Justice Gerard, an honest judge, effectually stopped?"

"Did not Comptroller Prendergast, after you had been seated as mayor, call your attention to the warrant for Cobahlan's \$48,000 which was in your office?"

"Did not Comptroller Prendergast explain to you what it was and tell you that if you would send the warrant back to him he would make a complete report on it and go to the bottom of the matter?"

"Did you not thank Comptroller Prendergast and say it was true 'these lawyers in such cases, were getting too much from the city'?"

"Did you not then fail to send the warrant back to the comptroller and fail to ask for the report, but did you

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not, on the contrary, allow this padded fee to go through unquestioned on Jan. 4, 1910?"

"Stop talking about the date that did not print and say a few words about the date that did print."

"To your blatherskite abuse, I am indifferent, for in all such matters I consider the source and the natural irritation that a public official feels in being exposed."

"A man of a newspaper that seeks sincerely to serve the people and protect their rights and their property must always expect the antagonism and abuse of the public official who is exposed and pilloried."

"When the San Francisco Examiner first attacked and exposed Mayor Schmitz in San Francisco that indignation as a public enemy and had his name on the board of supervisors' resolutions condemning the paper and assailing its editor."

"Still, everybody knows today what happened to Schmitz. And everybody today would rather have Schmitz's abuse than his condemnation."

"When the New York Journal first attacked and exposed Dist. Atty. Jerome that outraged prosecutor rushed into print to denounce the Journal and to abuse and sue me. Still, everybody knows what happened to Jerome, and what happened to the libel suit, and most people today would rather be sued by Jerome than praised by him."

"Now, I know perfectly well what is going to happen to you, Mr. Mayor. The people are going eventually to find you out and repudiate you and ban both you and your 'thick-hyde.'"

"And even those newspapers that are now tracking and lickingpitting to you in the hope of securing the city advertising will in the end sacrifice those lucrative contracts for the priceless privilege of telling the truth about you."

"For the mayor, Robert Adamson, his private secretary, gave out the following statement made before the mayor had seen Mr. Hearst's statement:

STATEMENT OF GAYNOR.

"The mayor is not required to sign warrants at all. They are made out and signed by the comptroller and then by the chief clerk of the mayor's office, under authority of the charter. Over 275,000 such drafts are signed in a year, some days over 1,000. The mayor has never signed one. The Cobahlan claim was for legal services in the franchise tax suits. Several lawyers were paid, including Judge (Alton B.) Parker. The claim was audited and filed last December after much evidence was taken, and thereby became a total claim against the city. Mayor Gaynor never had anything to do with it."

Comptroller Prendergast gave out a

statement in advance of Mr. Hearst's, substantiating what Mr. Hearst's statements, in substance as follows:

PRENDERGAST'S STATEMENT.

"I told Mr. Matthews (the deputy comptroller) that I had come to the conclusion that the warrant having passed the comptroller's office, it would not be a proper thing for me to recall it, thus reflecting upon the action of my predecessor, unless there was some excellent reason why the warrant should not have been paid; that the mere fact that the warrant was in favor of Mr. Cobahlan did not constitute any such reason, but that I had made up my mind to talk to the mayor about it."

"About 1 o'clock on that day (New York's day) I called upon the mayor and told the mayor just what I have described above. He asked me why Mayor McClellan had taken the action he did. I told him I did not know the reasons. He then asked me what the warrant represented, and I told him my understanding was that it was for services in connection with disputed franchise tax cases."

"He then said to me, 'We must be very careful about paying large bills to lawyers in these matters.' The mayor then said: 'If you had not told me about this, I suppose the matter would have gone right through in the ordinary course.'"

"I said, 'I presume that is what would have happened.'"

"He then replied: 'It is very nice of you to speak of this to me. What ought we to do about it?'"

"I told him that if he wanted to return the warrant to the comptroller's office, today and his visit raised the instant supposition that legal action might result from Mayor Gaynor's address. The district attorney said tonight, however, that no steps looking toward such action had yet been taken through his office."

"The 'Godbe Pitts' Corner,' the land mark familiar to us all, has been quite changed in appearance. The fence was moved today and the large plate windows taking the place of the blank brick wall gives one an idea of the value of the glass. We notice that familiar poster 'Set and furnished by Bennett Glass & Paint Co.' on each of the lights, but there to show the public where their wants can be supplied."

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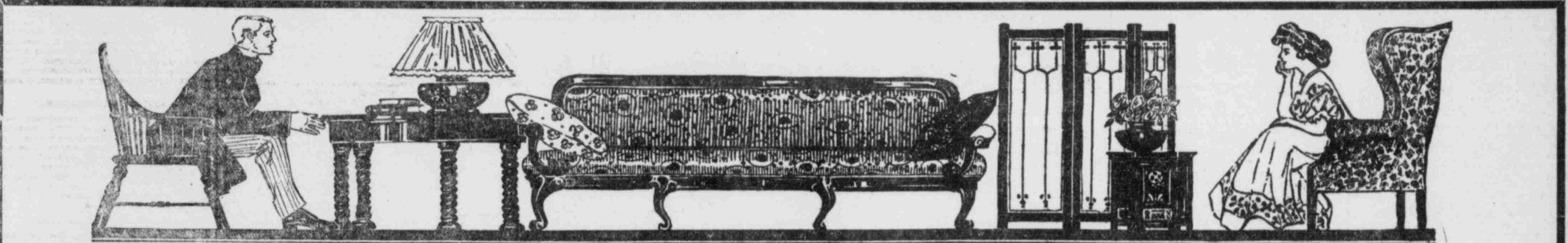
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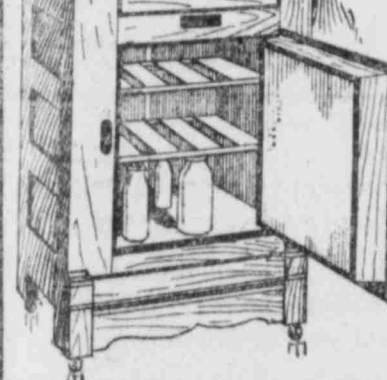
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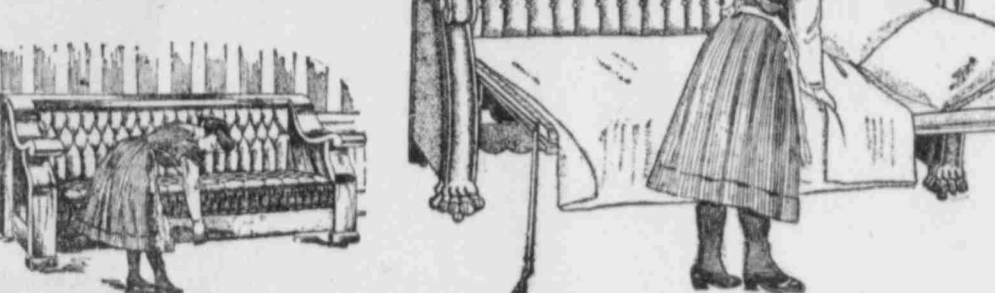


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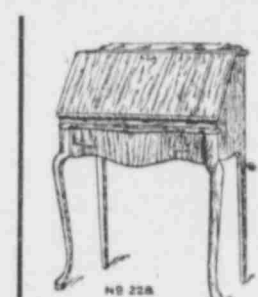
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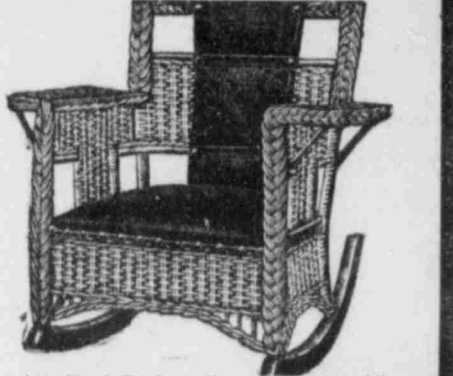
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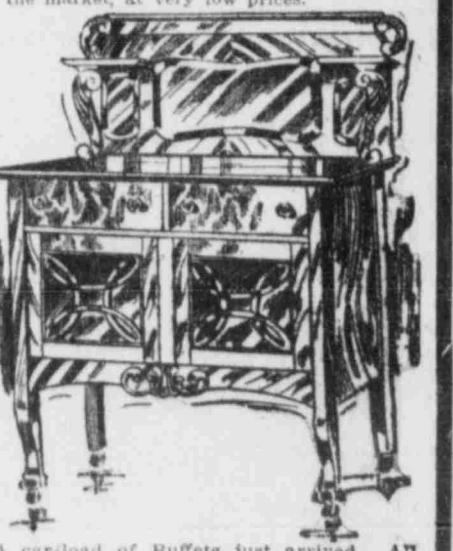


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